IN THE U. S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Yasuhiko KASAMA et al.

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OF THE SAME

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 20, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.